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Filed: June 18, 2001 Examiner:
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Respectfully submitted,

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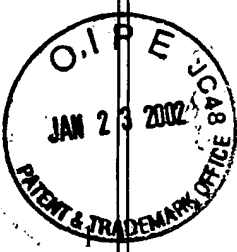
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Revocation and Power of Attorney Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is a Revocation and Power of Attorney from the owner of the above-identified patent application.

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WHEREAS, we, **Kevin F. Browne, Erik V. Schwiebert, Michael C. Connolly and Geoffrey M. Price**, hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS, having post office addresses of 5942 Mont Blanc Place, NW, Issaquah, Washington 98027; 5200 Pullman Avenue, NE, Seattle, Washington 98105; 1137 32nd Avenue, Seattle, Washington 98122; and 31132 NE 111th Street, Carnation, Washington, 98014, respectively, are the joint inventors of an invention entitled **"Method for Creating an Embedded Database In A Spreadsheet"** as described and claimed in the specification forming part of an application for United States letters patent filed herewith;

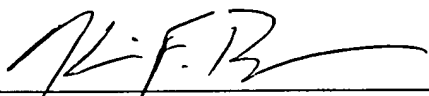
WHEREAS, Microsoft Corporation (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), a corporation of the State of Washington, having a place of business at One Microsoft Way, Redmond, WA, 98052, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been

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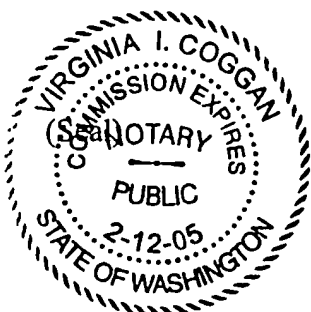
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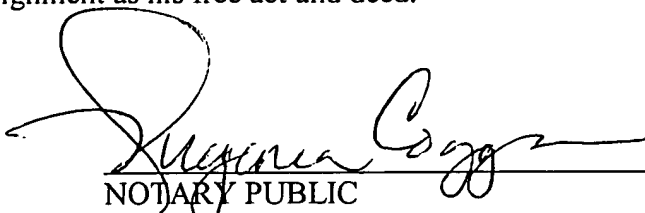


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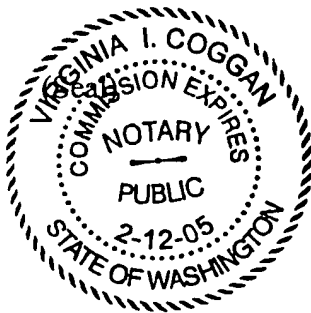
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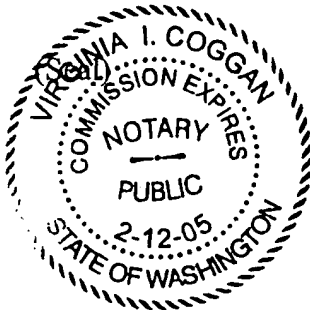
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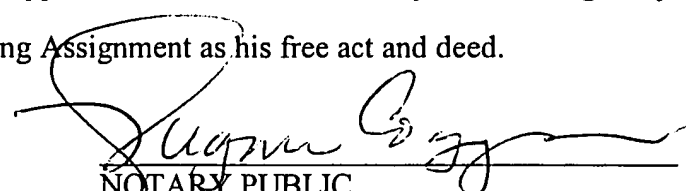
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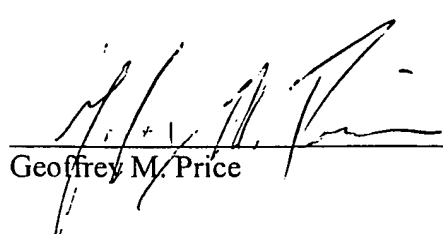



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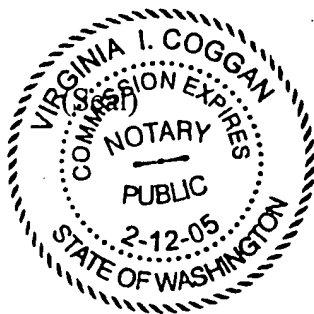
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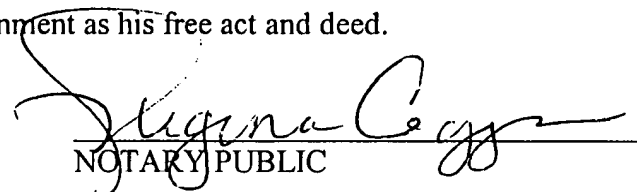


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